

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicants:	Foster et al.	Art Unit:	1724
Application No.:	10/511,245	Examiner:	Not yet assigned
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Title:	FORMULATION OF FINE PARTICLES USING LIQUEFIED OR DENSE GASES		

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**INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT**

Sir:

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. §1.97(c), enclosed are references relating to the above-identified application. For the convenience of the Examiner, the references are listed on the attached Form PTO 1449.

It is respectfully requested that these references be considered in the examination of this application and their consideration be made of written record in the application file.

This Information disclosure statement is being submitted before the mailing date of an Office Action under 37 C.F.R. §1.113 for the above identified application.

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Respectfully submitted,

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